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Serial No. 09/875,532	Filing Date June 6, 2001	Examiner LoAn H. Thanh	Group Art Unit 376
Inventor(s) Christopher G. Dixon et al.			
Title of Invention HIGH PRESSURE INJECTION SYRINGE			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Amendment and Response; Return Post Card with sufficient postage.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
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Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee
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x 43 =	
+ \$145 =	
Total add'l fee	\$

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Respectfully submitted,

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Examiner: LoAn H. Thanh

Group: 3763

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

In reply to the Office Action dated and mailed on January 15, 2004, Applicants have filed this Amendment and Response by Certificate of Mailing. Applicants respectfully